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OUTLINES.

A startling sequel to the mine disaster in North France occurred yesterday when 13 miners who had been entombed twenty days were rescued in a horribly emaciated condition, after having lived on putrid horse flesh ——In the House of Representatives yesterday appropriations of $30,000,000 were made, and Mr. Mann, of Ill., complained that the Standard Oil Company is taking part in politics, being engaged in an effort to defeat him because he had charge of some bills against the company——The writ of habeas corpus in the matter of George W. Perkins, lately vice president of the New York Life Insurance Company, charged with larceny in diverting funds of the company to political purposes, was argued in the Supreme Court; decision was reserved——Hester's cotton statistics show that the season's cotton crop to date is 9,755,457 bales against 10,748,840 bales in 1904——At South Whitley, Ind., yesterday, 26 people were injured by the overturning of a railroad coach while a train was running 45 miles an hour——The bituminous miners yesterday rejected the proposal of the operators to arbitrate the wage scale, but agreed that there would be no strike in mines which would meet the miners demands; that will leave only about 500,00 bituminous and anthracite miners to go out; another conference will be held with the anthracite operators in New York Tuesday but the miners will stop work Monday——Money on call firm, 5 to 8 per cent., ruling rate 5 3-4 to 6, closing bid 4 1-2, offered at 6; spot cotton quiet 11.70; flour steady but quiet; wheat irregular, No. 2 red, 85 3-8 elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 54 1-2 elevator; oats firm, mixed, 36; turpentine firm, 69 to 69 1-2; rosin firm, strained common to good, 4.05.

How are you going to vote in the election next November? However, it is not necessary to answer until you have paid your poll-tax, for if it is not paid by May 1st you can't vote.

In the Senate on Thursday, Clay, of Georgia, speaking upon the railway rate bill, is reported to have "traced the history of the House bill." If some Senators were to tell it correctly they have chased the House bill.

Andrew Carnegie is spending some of his good money with the crowd which is trying to simplify the spelling of English words by agreeing upon some system of phonetic spelling. Josh Billings died too soon to help Mr. Carnegie die poor by selling him his vocabulary.

The contest for the gubernatorial nomination in Georgia has reached the point where the methods of one of the factions is alluded to by the Macon Telegraph as "sowing dragons' teeth." For some time it has appeared that the whirl-wind was the principal crop being sown.

The newspaper fraternity deeply sympathizes with Col. Fred. A. Olds, the widely known Raleigh newspaper correspondent, in the death of his son, Douglas Olds, at Southern Pines on Wednesday morning. The Star joins in the many expressions of sorrow at the sad bereavement which has come to Col. and Mrs. Olds.

The Republican State executive committee of South Carolina held a meeting in Columbia Thursday night and called a State convention for the second week in August. It was given out that "no State ticket will be put out." A Republican State ticket would be an oddity in South Carolina and we fancy the Palmetto Democrats would see that it was "put out"—of business.

When Tillman was elected Governor of South Carolina he was wild and woolly. When he was sent to the Senate he thought a pitchfork was the best weapon with which to run amuck, but two terms are sobering him up and instead of joining the crowd making attacks on the Senate he is writing a book entitled "A Defense of the Senate." It may do the Senate good to have to keep its skirts clean for fear of attack.

The coal consumers are the innocent by-standers in the row between the coal miners and the coal operators. If there is a strike April 1st and the miners win in their demand for an increase of 33.68 per cent. or more in wages, the operators have already given it out that the consumers will surely have to pay $1.20 a ton higher for their coal. Sure, Mike. The consumer will pay the strike tax just the same as he pays the tariff tax.

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THE SUPERIOR COURT

Bar of City Postpones Meeting for Arranging Calendar of Civil Suits

NEW ONES ARE INSTITUTED

W. H. Furtrell Against Seaboard Air Line for Damages—Delay of Cablegram Brings on Litigation—Criminal Docket Ready.

Owing to the absence of so many Wilmington attorneys at courts of adjoining counties, the meeting of the bar at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court yesterday for the purpose of arranging the calendar of civil suits for the second week of the double term convening next Monday, was postponed until day after to-morrow at 10 o'clock. The first week of the term, it is expected, will be entirely consumed with the hearing of criminal courts. William J. Bellamy, Esq., counsel for T. A. McCraw, charged with murder, says it is an error that he will certainly make a motion for continuance of the case. He says he cannot tell yet whether he can get the case in shape for trial, so far as the defence is concerned, or not.

Several suits of more than passing interest were instituted yesterday. Through his counsel, Herbert McClammy, Esq., Mr. W. H. Futrell, now an employe of the Atlantic Coast Line, in this city, brings suit against the Seaboard Air Line for $10,000 damages for injuries sustained through the alleged negligence of the company at Calhoun, S. C., last July. The complaint will allege that cars of a train were brought together with such violence that he was thrown from a seat in one of them and injured permanently. The case will not come up for trial until the next term.

Two other suits involve the delay of a cablegram by the Postal Telegraph Company to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, the amount in question being something over $700. It is alleged that the delay in the cablegram from some cotton connection in Bremen, Germany, cost the exporting firm in the amount sued for and the Postal Company brings counter-suit for the collection of about the same amount in tolls that have been withheld, pending a settlement of the diffences. William J. Bellamy, Esq., local counsel for the telegraph company, declined to talk of the matter when asked in regard to the suit yesterday. Messrs. Rountree & Carr are counsel for the cotton firm.

The only other suit instituted yesterday was one entitled W. J. Hart against Blair & Healy, Incorporated. Jno. D. Bellamy & Son and Wm. J. Bellamy are counsel for the plaintiffs. No complaint has been filed.

HEARING BEFORE REFEREE.

Ex-Governor Aycock Here In Behalf of Goldsboro Clients.

In the offices of Messrs. Rountree & Carr, in the Masonic Temple, last night there was a hearing before J. O. Carr, Esq., referee, in the case of the Acme Machine Works, of Goldsboro, against the Auburn Lumber Company and Cameron F. MacRae, receiver. Messrs. Meares & Ruark appeared for the defendants and ex-Governor Aycock for the Goldsboro parties. The amount involved is about $1,800 and is for the recovery of a claim for machinery furnished the defendant company at its plant at Turkey, Sampson county. The ex-Governor arrived last night from the North and is a guest at The Orton. He expects to return this morning.

Rebuild Burned Property.

Mr. J. Walter Williamson, secretary and treasurer of Delgado mills, had not yesterday completed his estimate of the losses in the fire Thursday night but said that they would be about as stated in yesterday's paper. The losses were fully covered by insurance with the Factory Insurance Association, represented in this city by Messrs. Willard & Giles. Mr. Williamson says the company will rebuild the burned property as early as pacticable.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Taylor's Bazaar—Millinery.
E. Warren & Son.—Ice Cream.
Consolidated Co.—Testimonials.
Sam'l Bear, Sr., & Sons—Flour.
C. R., L. & P. Co.—Cook With Cas...
Geo. O. Gaylord—Easter Millinery.
Mrs. J. B. Jones—The Jones House.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Spring Greeting.

Business Locals.

"Ikie"—Fool Wants Position. .....
S. M. Lloyd and W. T. Sears—Not Liable.

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BUILD ON PRINCESS STREET

Old Stables on Currie Property Will Give Way to New Building By Mr. J. F. Garrell.

It is understood that Mr. John F. Garrell, who recently purchased the Currie property at southwest corner of second and Princess streets, has discarded the plans of all architects and has engaged Contractor Thad. F. Tyler to erect on the site, according to his own ideas, a substantial two or three-story structure with all modern equipment. The base of the present walls, it is understood, will be used, but the remainder of the structure wil be entirely new, giving with the whole an imposing front. There will probably be three stores on the first floor with offices for rent on the second and third floors. It is known that Mr. Garrell has a proposition from the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company for the upper floors but the proposition has not yet been accepted. The floors are to be arranged to suit the C. R., L. & P. Company, which has agreed upon a lease of ten or more years in case the other conditions are met. The floors will be used entirely by the offices of the company and no cars will be run into the building as was first supposed when the matter was taken up by the railroad people with Mr. Garrell.

It is learned that Mr. Tyler will begin work early the coming week in tearing away the present structure on the lot to make way for the new building which will be completed during the Summer. Mr. Garrell proposes to make the property an ornament to that part of the city and to compare favorably with the three-story building which he will erect on the site of the old jail diagonally across the street. That section of the city is rapidly developing and it is gratifying to know that Mr. Garrell will improve the Currie property with more pretentious buildings.

A RUNAWAY MATCH.

Young People from Wilmington Wedded in Southport.

The following is from yesterday's Southport Herald:

"On last Sunday a party of eleven from Wilmington, with the bride and groom, Miss Hattie Herring and Mr. Jessie Rowell, arrived on the steamer Lillie and proceeded direct to Mr. J. A. Dew's boarding house, where the two above named parties were joined in marriage by Mr. Geo. McKeithan, Register of Deeds and also holding the official capacity of a Justice of the Peace.

"The license for the above union was procured some weeks ago, but serious objections to their union by the parents of the bride prevented the marrying of the contracting couple. Resolving not to be outdone, and determining to plight their troth, they proceeded to Southport last Sunday under the pretence of a Sunday outing and were made man and wife, returning as hosts of a surprise party."

The parties to the match are from Delgado according to residence given in the city directory.

BAPTISTS AT ATKINSON.

Union Meeting of Wilmington Association on April 27th.

The Baptist of the Wilmington Association will hold what is termed a Union meeting at Atkinson, beginning Friday, April 27th, and continuing three days. A great gathering of both preachers and laymen is expected, and nearly all of the strongest men in the Baptist ministry of the Wilmington District will be present. Many able sermons and addresses will be delivered, and a season of great enjoyment may be expected.

While there will be an unusual demand on the entertaining capacity of Atkinson, the people of the pleasant little village, so noted for their hospitality, will make ample provision for all visitors. Like the traditional New York omnibus, there is always room there "for one more."

As Atkinson is only twenty-six miles distant, there will doubless be a large attendance from Wilmington. Apart from the religious and business features of the sessions of the Association there is a social side that will make the occasion a most enjoyable one.

Repair the Shell Road.

Chairman McEachern and Commissioner Robertson, of the Road Committee of the Board of County Commissioners, yesterday made an inspection of the shell road to Wrightsville with a view of making the necessary repairs before the opening of the driving season proper. The material for this work has been ordered and as soon as it is delivered by the railroad company the work will begin.

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LIBELLED A STEAMER

Owners of Schooner General Adelbert Ames Want Damages from Wilmington

THE AMOUNT IS $15,000

Claim That Vessel Was Towed Out and Left In Dangerous Position from Which She Swung Ashore—Hearing To-Day.

Alleging that the schooner General Adelbert Ames was towed out in the channel through Cape Fear bar and left in a perilous position as the result of which she was subsequently driven ashore and was badly damaged with her cargo of lumber consigned by the Waccamaw Land and Lumber Co., of this city, Pendleton Brothers, of New York, owners of the schooner, yesterday in the United States Court here, libelled the steamer Wilmington for the recovery of damages sustained, alleged to be $15,000. The papers were served by Deputy Marshal C. O. Knox upon Capt. John W. Harper, owner of the steamer, upon the arrival of the Wilmington from her regular trip to Southport yesterday afternoon, but bond was immediately given by Capt. Harper in the sum of $25,000 with Capt. J. T. Harper as surety, and the boat was released last night. The hearing will be at the April term of the Federal Court in this city. Jno. D. Bellamy & Son appears as counsel for Pendleton Brothers and Herbert McClammy, George Harriss, Esqs., and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan appear for Capt. Harper.

The firm of Pendleton Brothers owns possibly the largest fleet of sailing vessels in the United States and is composed of W. S. Pendleton, Jr., of New York; Fields C. Pendleton, Winfield S. Pendleton, Guilford D. Pendleton, Walter J. Small, C. H. Randelitt, C. H. Dodge, Richard P. Pendleton and Mark Pendleton, of Islesboro, Maine, and they libel the steamer for themselves as owners and in behalf of the owners of the cargo, the Waccamaw Land and Lumber Co., of Wilmington. The libel sets forth that on or about January 1st, the Adelbert Ames came off the bar, the steamer Wilmington approached and a contract was entered into between the masters of the vessels by which the captain of the Wilmington for the regular port rates, agreed to tow the schooner safely from sea to port and from port to sea again with cargo; that the schooner came in received her cargo and was towed back down the river at an anchorage opposite Southport where she lay until the morning of January 18th, when, at about 5:30 A. M., the Wilmington came alongside and the crew made fast to the schooner, a hawser which was new and sufficient; that the hawser of the schooner was improperly made fast on the steamer Wilmington and the steamer was so improperly constructed for performing the service of towing, that after a short distance toward the outside, the hawser parted; that it was again made fast, but in such a manner that it again broke and the schooner was compelled to drop her starboard anchor in order to avoid going upon the shoals. The chain of the starboard anchor parted and the port anchor had to be dropped to check the speed the schooner was making. The port anchor held and the steamer came alongside. The master, of the schooner, it is alleged, demanded that the schooner be taken back to a position of safety at Southport, which was refused and the schooner was left in a dangerous hazardous and perilous position. This refusal is alleged to have been because the steamer had passengers and freight to carry from Southport to Wilmington, and that the Ames was left in a perilous and exposed place, which was unknown to the officers and crew of the ship with a rising sea and wind. In this condition, it is alleged that the schooner swung ashore and sustained great damage to ship and cargo and that she was later pulled off by the United States Revenue Cutter Seminole; that the Blanche came alongside and for this the Ames is already under a heavy libel in consequence of the way in which the vessel was handled by the Wilmington. Damages for all is asked in the sum of $15,000.

For the purpose of taking the deposition of one J. G. Brown, who will be unable to attend as a witness for the libellant at the regular term of court, the attorneys of Capt. Harper are summoned to be present at an examination of the witness before U. S. Commissioner S. P. Collier, in the U. S. Court room to-day at noon. Capt. F. S. Pendleton, of Islesboro, Me., is here to assist in the conduct of the case for the libellants.

Capt. Harper, master of the steamer Wilmington, when seen last night in regard to the libel, did not seem the least worried and appeared confident of winning in the courts. The late Capt. Tom Taylor was master of the Wilmington at the time of the grounding of the Ames, which was towed to New York only a few days ago by the Norfolk tug Twohy. Capt. Harper denies the sufficiency of the hawser furnished by the schooner and as to the safe anchorage, says the vessel was left nearly in the same spot as she was left when she was brought in by the pilots; that for four days and nights the Revenue Cutter lay at a safe anchorage in the identical spot, which is a safe land-locked road. He attributes the grounding of the vessel to the perils of the sea and carelessness of the crew, together with the insufficient hawser, as he says he will be able to show at the proper time. As to the adaptability of the Wilmington for towing purposes, Capt. Harper says the steamer in the last three months has towed 15 sailing vessels to and from Wilmington, brought several from the outside and has never neard of a complaint from the masters or broken a hawser before. Sea captains have said the service was perfectly satisfactory and have assured Capt. Harper of their future patronage.

PUBLIC LIBRARY MOVEMENT

Sorosis Will Ask $1,200 Per Year and Place in City Hall—Endorsement By Workingmen.

So encouraged are the ladies of the North Carolina Sorosis with their effort to secure from the city an appropriation for the maintenance of a public library that they have decided to ask the Board of Aldermen for $1,200 per year instead of $720 as originally proposed. They have also decided to ask a place on the second floor of the City Hall building as rooms for the library and offer to contribute as a nucleus for the institution the 1,700 volumes of standard books they have acquired since December, 1904, and now kept in the rooms of Sorosis in the Odd Fellows' building. The proposition is a very inviting one for the city and it will no doubt be readyfily accepted by the Aldermen at their meeting Monday night. The ladies of Sorosis believe with a great many citizens, who have signed the petitions asking for the appropriation, that the time has come when a public library should be established and favorable action is expected at the proper time.

Not only have the petitions been numerously signed but at least two organizations, besides Sorosis, have enthusiastically endorsed the movement. Jeff Davis Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., passed a very commendatory resolution Thursday night and that was followed by similar action by the Unionist Club, an organization of more than a hundred and fifty printers, carpenters, machinists, marine engineers, railway carmen, stone cutters, wire workers, painters, plumbers and pressmen, who held a meeting in Central Hall last night. The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas, It having come to our notice through the press of the city that a movement is under way looking to the establishment of a public library in Wilmington and

"Whereas, It is our belief that a public, library under the management and control of the city government, in a public building, would prove of incalculable benefit to those of our citizens who, by reason of their positions in life have not availed themselves of the privilege of the semi-private libraries that have heretofore existed in this city, we most heartily approve of the movement for a library and join in the petition to the Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance to make an appropriation sufficient to establish such an institution."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed For Record Yesterday at Court House.

B. H. Marshall and wife to the American Suburban Corporation, for $3,500, property in Carolina Place on south side of the "Old Plank Road," 220 feet east of Seventeenth street, 66x165 feet in size.

Jno. M. Walker and wife to Mrs. Mary A. Hayden, for $725, property on south side of Princess, 30 feet west of Twelfth street, 30x150 feet in size.

James E. Kea to Neil M. Watson, for $10 and other considerations, property on south side of Walnut, 45 feet west of Fifth street, 33x30x85x66x99 feet in size.

Carolina Insurance Co., to N. M. Watson, quit claim deed to property above.

William L. Smith and wife to Chas. S. Burnett, for $125, property at southwest corner of Ninth and Meares strets, 55x330 feet in size.

A. C. L. Cars Burned.

Three car-loads of fat pine wood on the Coast Line yards in Savannah burned Thursday night. A tank car filled with oil was uncoupled and pulled away by a shifting engine. The loss was about $150 to the wood an $2,000 to other property.

SEMINOLE IN PORT

Returned Yesterday from Hatteras and Will Overhaul Here During April

PARAGRAPHS OF THE PORT

Schooner Myrtle Tunnell at Charleston—Sale of the Eloise—Schooner Proceeds With Lumber Cargo—Other Marine Notes.

The U. S. Revenue Cutter Seminole arrived in port yesterday morning from Hatteras whither she was ordered to render assistance to shipping in distress on the coast. Owing to a series of delays by rough weather, the cutter was unable to render much service and returned to port after a comparatively uneventful cruise. The ship will remain in port the greater part of April unless her services are needed on the outside. The cutter went out yesterday a week ago in response to orders to proceed to Gull Island Life Saving Station to assist the schooner Raymond T. Maul, bound from Savannah north, which went ashore and subsequently went to pieces after the captain and crew were rescued. While on her cruise, the cutter spoke the Norfolk tug North American, which was out in search of the abandoned Myrtle Tunnell, which was subsequently picked up by Savannah and Charleston tugs. The schooner Thomas Ward was also spoken in Lookout bight. She was disabled in the prevailing storms and is waiting a tow to New York by a Northern tug. The cutter people have earned a long respite from the more arduous service and the time will be taken in overhauling the ship and putting her in first-class shape again.

Savannah and Charleston tow boat men who have the schooner Myrtle Tunnell at the latter port, are awaiting the appearance of the owner, Mr. Geo. A. Tunnell, of Philadelphia, who had not put in an appearance at last accounts. Speaking of the matter, the Charleston News and Courier says: "The Myrtle Tunnell was without occupant or crew when she was picked up by the Savannah tug, and was alleged to be a derelict and a menace to navigation. The ownership, however, does not lapse, according to tug boat men, and when the vessel was towed into the harbor she was still the property of her original owner or of the insurance men. While the vessel was deserted she was not abandoned, it would seem, and the tug boat men are making no claim to the ownership of the vessel, merely asking salvage, which will be large in this instance, as the vessel was awash amidships, and was with exceeding great difficulty towed into port."

Capt. Asa Horton has sold to Mr. Burett H. Stephens, consulting engineer for the new fertilizer factory up the river, the trim little yacht "Eloise," which is operated on a regular daily schedule from the city to the works. The "Eloise" is named for a little daughter of Mr. Stephens and is one of the prettiest and most substantial in the harbor. She is 35 feet long, nine feet beam and is equipped with a 15 horse-power Regal engine of the latest type. She was built by Capt. Horton for Mr. Stephens in 1905. The consideration named is approximately $1,000.

Capt. J. D. Price has purchased from Capt. Will L. Miller, of the Acme Tea Chest Company, a half interest in the tug Fawn and will be associated with Capt. Miller in the ownership and management of the boat.

The schooner Massachusetts cleared yesterday for New York with cargo of 548,000 feet of lumber, consigned by the Cape Fear Lumber Company.

Messrs. W. T. Sears and S. M. Lloyd, owners of tugs E. K. Bishop and Lillian, have a notice of interest elsewhere in to-day's paper.

People's Building & Loan.

The committee of nine recently named at a meeting of the shareholders to draft a constitution and by-laws for the newly organized People's Building and Loan Association and to suggest a Board of Directors for election at another meeting of the stockholders Monday night, met last evening at the office of the Board of County Commissioners at Court House and considered fully the matters in hand. About 800 shares of stock have already been taken by representative people in both the city and county and both city and rural property will be handled. The new organization starts off with exceedingly bright prospects.

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Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actualy published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any rate.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, etc., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death

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Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Avertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

DEMOCRATIC FIGHT IN NEW YORK.

Mr. William Randolph Hearst, the man with "the string of papers," is probably making too much headway with his "movement" to suit the Tammany Democrats of New York city. There have been hints that Mr. Hearst was making inroads on Tammany followers and recent events tend to show that the Tammany leaders have decided to do something to head him off.

Evidently Mr. Hearst is getting "dangerous," from the Tammany point of view and something has to be done to prevent him from gaining an ascendancy from which it will be difficult to dislodge him a little later on. We confess to astonishment at the growth of the Hearst movement, but it seems to be growing all right, and therefore Tamamny has begun a fight on him. A few days ago in a speech Congressman Bourke Cochran bitterly assailed Mr. Hearst and his theories, and on Tuesday night at a dinner given by the Democratic Club of New York, DeLancey Nicholl "lit into" Mr. Hearst in a speech which was evidently intended to stay the Hearst tide. Mr. Nicholl, who is vice chairman of the Democratic National Committee, among other things, said:

"In the magnificent headquarters we had in Thirty-fourth street there was one bureau which sneaked in upon us on plausible pretences. This bureau occupied the fourth floor of our building, it had spacious rooms without paying for them, this crowd hung out its banner from the front of the national headquarters, and that crowd which partook of our favors on the pretense of friendship afterward turned round and stabbed the man it was supposed to be working for. I am speaking of the Hearst crowd. Mr. Hearst and his man Ihmsen came to me and asked for space to open up quarters in our place. I told them we would be only too glad to accommodate them, and I gave them the best we had. They had the use of all the campaigning facilities at the national headquarters, and then, afterward they turned and struck the knife into the back of the candidate of the Democratic party and tried all they could to help to beat us."

Speeches like that are calculated to get up a great row in the Democratic party in New York—that is if Mr. Hearst is in the party any longer. He may have left it when he ran for Mayor against McClellan, the regular Democratic (Tammany) nominee in the last election. It was a fact that Mr. Hearst wasn't "regular" in the municipal contest, and probably he has brought on the fight against himself by continuing his movement to organize a Democracy along his lines. In that event Tammany will not be blamed for fighting in self-defense.

Last week the Hon. Bourke Cochran made a stirring speech at Tammany Hall in advocating resolutions which practically read Mr. Hearst out of the party. In those resolutions Tammany sought to put itself on record as unalterably opposed to Mr. Hearst's "socialistic theories," as his kind of politics is branded by the old line Democrats; and also to pronounce as emphatically against the paternalism of the Republican party. Mr. Cochran in his speech defined Democratic doctrine as oposed to both the Hearst theory and Republican paternalism, and said this:

"What can a government create which it can afford to bestow upon anybody? What resources of government out of which it can help or aid any citizen? If it gives any man anything then it must take it from another, and, as I have said, there are but two ways by which any man can get anything: One is to make it and the other is to take it. Democracy believes in every man having all he can make. Republicanism means in giving some things which are taken from others."

We infer from the stir in New York and also throughout the United States, that issues and party principles have got to be sharply defined in the next Presidential election, and judging from the course of events there will be three or four parties in the field. In the beginning of the fight, it might as well be observed that the Republican party is not the only one that is imbrued with paternalism. There is a decided tendancy of the people to look to the government for everything instead of the government's looking to the people for what it gets. Everywhere the people seem to be forgetting that they are the government and that when they get anything out of the new idea government that government first gets it out of the people. The whole tendancy seems to be a drifting away from the fact that the people first pay in all they get out of the government. An equal redistribution of what the people pay the government is impossible, but the Republican party shows us how all the people can fill up the till so it can be depleted for the benefit of certain classes. We do not care if the agitation results in a clear understanding of all the kinds of paternalism extant, for surely surely it is hydra-headed.

TWINKLINGS.

—The distinction between a subpoena-dodger and a fugitive from justice is difficult to draw.—New York Times.

—Speaker Cannon says it will "take a search warrant a hundred years hence to find out who was vice-president in the year of our Lord 1906."—Wall Street Journal.

—The simplified spelling board should first erect a monument to Josh Billings and then issue a new edition de luxe of his almanacs. He was in the simplifying business some time before the board's appearance.—New Bedford Standard.

—Richmond evidently has a freak mayor in Carlton McCarthy. In his address to the ice men's convention there a few days ago, he took occasion to say: "I am the son of an Irishman and a native of America, but I wish to state that I recognize upon this earth only two flags—the flag of the Commonwealth of the State of Virginia and the Battle Flag of the Confederacy." People of this kind ought to be ossified and stacked away in the Confederate museum.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—If a Southern man is to be put up on the Democratic ticket for President in 1908, we would respectfully ask the committee to come to Durham and see what fine material we have for the position. In our mind General Julian S. Carr would make as fine a President as ever has been elected by the voters of the United States. He is a staunch Democrat, a thorough gentleman and should he receive the nomination would no doubt make a run that the party would feel proud of. Take this suggestion under consideration. Gentlemen.—Durham (N. C. Sun.

—That Gen. Julian S. Carr is taking a prominent part in the reunion of the "blue and gray" now being held in Atlanta creates no surprise to the general's many friends throughout the State. His long continued and well known liberality and interest in all matters pertaining to his old comrades who wore the gray stamp him as the type of man whose mind and heart are big enough to include every American soldier who bravely did the right as it was given him to see the right, no matter what the color of the uniform he wore.—Greensboro Industrial News.

—After all the talk about Ex-Senator Marion Butler as a presidential cabinet probability, it seems to have been all talk. There was just enough in the rumor to start up a re-hash of this flexible politician's record as a Democrat first, then a dickering Populist fusionist, and lastly a full-fledged Republican. The Senator seems to have the knack of getting into places where round after round of abuse may he hurled at him; but what does he care for that, for he is well used to it, having had it laid on ever since he started out; and he has the dough, just a plenty of it, resulting from his political career, and what does he care? "Fiddle-sticks," its like "pouring water on a duck's back." He is in good standing now with the Republican administration, which is, no doubt, a bomb-proof position against all attacks, in his estimation.—Sampson (N. C.) Democrat.

CURRENT COMMENT.

"Mr. McBride is looking as solemn as an undertaker these days." "Exactly. He's going to undertake to support a wife, beginning next Tuesday."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—"Of course she's not a pretty baby now. One only hope is that as she gets older she'll grow handsomer." "Yes. I guess there's nothing for you to do but believe in 'age before beauty.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

—Gladys tells me she has received as many as seventeen offers of marriage in a single month." "Indeed? That almost equals the record of some of our lady murderers, does it not?"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

—"Do you think that money controls a politician?" "To a certain extent," answered Senator Sorghum, "but some of us politicians hope to soon be able to turn the tables and control a good bit of money."—Washington Star.

—Eva—Do you remember when you passed us in the automobile? Well, two minutes after that Jack proposed. Edna—Yes, I heard the machine going "chug-chug." Eva — The machine? Gracious! That was Jack Sighing!—Chicago News.

—"How in the world," asked the lecturer as he gazed at the packed rural auditorium, "did you manage to get this thing so thoroughly advertised in a short twenty-four hours?" "Easy," smiled the rural committeeman. "We jest whispered it to Vangie Snodgrass an' told her 'twas a secret."—Chicago News.

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The Seaboard announces account of the above occasion they will sell round trip tickets from points named below at rates and under rules and conditions given, to New Orleans and return:

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Tickets at above rates will be sold April 22nd, 23rd, and 24th and tickets limited to leave New Orleans not later than April 30th, provided they are officially stamped by Joseph Richardson, Special Agent. Extension of these tickets can be secured by personal deposit of same by original purchaser with Mr. Joseph Richardson, Special Agent, Theatre Arcade, New Orleans, La., not earlier than 8:00 A. M. April 26th, or later than 8 P. M., April 30th, and upon payment of fee of fifty cents at time of deposit.

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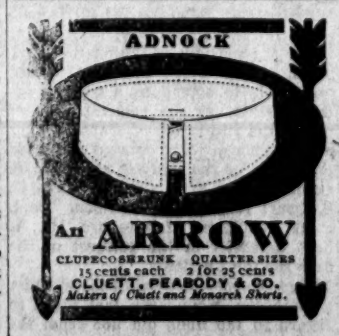

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FATS	trace	—	11.	2.6	3.6	0.2	0.5	1.6
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The Theatre

From a musical standpoint "The Yankee Consul," the new comic opera which Manager John P. Slocum will present at the Academy to-night, is conceded to be the peer of all comic operas or so-called musical comedies. Alfred G. Robyns, who wrote the sixteen song numbers which are introduced during the action of the play, is a young St. Louis composer who is rapidly forging to the front. "Ain't It Funny What a Difference Just a Few Hourse Make?" "My San Domingo Maid," "In the Olden Days," "I'd Like to Be a Soldier" and "In Old New York" have been whistled the length and breadth of the land, and are familiar to all music lovers. Henry M. Blossom, Jr., who also wrote "Checkers," is the author of the book, and the play, which has enjoyed a nine months' run at the Broadway Theatre, New York city, and of six months at the Studebaker Theatre, Chicago, comes heralded by the critics in every city as a real comic opera. The cast of players, which is headed by Harry Short, whose splendid portrayal of the leading comedy role of "Abijah Booze" has won wide fame, and Miss Vera Michelena, in the prima donna role, is an excellent one, while a real beauty chorus, numbering fifty pretty women, is an attractive feature. Two carloads of magnificent scenery, gorgeous costumes and lavish effects are required in staging this stupendous production.

The seat sale is now open.

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A list of splendid royalty plays will be offered the patrons of the Academy of Music next week, beginning, Monday, April 2nd, by the popular DePew-Burdette Stock Company. Funny Tom DePew, everybody's favorite comedian, and Will T. Burdette, an actor who has made an enviable record in leading juvenile roles, have surrounded themselves with a strong company, and five nights of thoroughly agreeable entertainment is promised. Monday evening the offering will be the sensational and absorbingly interesting comedy melodrama of life in the great metropolis, "The Silver Dagger," which has met with unqualified success in the large cities. The exclusive right to present this powerful play in Southern territory has been secured by the Depew-Burdette Company, and it is now for the first time to be seen at 10, 20 and 30 cents prices. There are four acts and from first to last there are stirring situations, rich dramatic incidents, pure humor and surprising climax. The plot is a novel, yet plausible one, and the characters move and act like real human beings. When a thing is said or done there is a reason for it, and there is no necessity to bore the auditor with baseless explanations. Added lustre will be lent to this powerful production by the introduction of uncommonly good specialties.

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We will place on sale during the opening days only, an immense line of nobby, smart, up-to-date hand made ready to wear hats. Possibly, one of the greatest selections of hats, one of a kind ever been shown in this city. These hats we closed out from an up-to-date manufactory and will sell this line of hats to our customers during those two days at exactly what the hats cost the manufacturer to produce. This lot of hats were designed and made, each and every one of them, by a high priced French milliner and for reasons of expense, the hats could not be put on the market at a profit, so I bought the entire line at a price which enables me to sell them at a manufacturer's cost for these two days only.

Our Pattern Hats are we think, dreams of beauty and our untrimmed hats are styles not shown by others and you will find them to be exclusive as well as beautiful.

We will have nothing on exhibition except what is strictly new, the latest and smartest styles, during our opening days.

Every one is invited and we will be glad to have you bring your friends.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

Saturday Morning, March 31.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., March 30, 1906.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Friday, March 30th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 60 degrees; Maximum, 72 degrees; Minimum, 55 degrees; Mean, 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .47; rainfall since first of month to date, 4.48.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Friday, 17.3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday, colder in east portion. Sunday, fair; fresh northwest to west winds.

PORT ALMANAC—March 31.

Sun Rises .....5:48 A. M.
Sun Sets .....6:21 P. M.
Day's Length .....12 hrs. 18 min.
High Water at Southport.12:01 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington.2:31 A. M.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Our weather report has been assigned to permanent quarters on page 4, top of first column. Weather sharps will govern themselves accordingly.

—Report was made to the police yesterday that Master Fred Hale had a bicycle stolen from him at 609 Chesnut street. The officers are on the look-out for the machine.

—In Justice Furlong's court yesterday Betsie Mills, colored, was sent to the farm for 30 days in default of fine in a case of assault. There was no evidence of a deadly weapon as charged.

—Mr. Ed. Manning was conductor and not motorman on the car which collided with a dray on North Fourth street early Thursday morning. Motorman Riggs was at the controller when the accident occurred.

—Mr. R. A. Montgomery has been granted a permit to build a two-story store and dwelling to cost $2,750 at Eighth and Princess streets. The contractor is C. E. Parker. It will contain ten rooms and store.

—The names of Misses Etta Sallings and Mary Hazel King were inadvertly omitted from the honor roll as furnished for Hemenway School published Thursday. The names should have appeared on the regular list.

—Complaint has been made to the police that men and boys congregate at night at Front and Meares streets and conduct themselves so unbecomingly as to be an annoyance to residents in the neighborhood. The officers are endeavoring to abate the nuisance.

—Announcement is made of the forthcoming marriage to-day of Mr. Lewis Henry Hollingsworth, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Hollingsworth, of Maple Hill, and Miss Ettie Lee Merritt, a daughter of Mr. Cicero Merritt, of Magnolia, N. C. Both are now popular young people of this city.

—There was only one defendant before the Mayor yesterday. Lige Connor, a small colored boy with a bad record, was charged with basting another colored boy over the head with a brick, near Gregory Institute, Thursday afternoon, Prof. Woodard, of the institute, was a witness. Connor was let off upon assurances from the father that the boy would be soundly thrashed.

—Mr. Sandlin, a produce dealer at Front street market, had a coop of chickens stolen from the rear of his place Thursday night. Sergeant Woolrad found that the fowls had been sold to Mr. C. D. Gore, Ninth and Orange streets. Mr. Gore gave every description of the thief in an effort to locate him but thus far the effort has been unsuccessful. Policeman Ottoway arrested "Boy" Mitchell but he could not be identified and was discharged.

WANT THE ORPHANAGE.

State Secretary Has Responses From Many Councils.

The following dispatch from Winston-Salem will be read with great interest by the Jr. O. U. A. M. everywhere:

"State Secretary S. F. Vance has received reports from practically all of the subordinate councils, Junior Order United American Mechanics, which recently voted on the resolution adopted at the last meeting of the State Council, authorizing the establishment of an orphanage by the order at some point in North Carolina. The reports show that a large majority of the subordinate councils voted in favor of the orphanage, but before it can be established the proposition to amend the constitution of the State Council must first be submitted to the national law committee for its approval. After the law committee passes upon the matter the national judiciary committee will probably be asked to tender an opinion. Several prominent members of the order hold that the resolution adopted by the State Council is unconstitutional, and will be so declared by the highest authorities."

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FATE OF NEGRO MUTINEERS

Before United States Supreme Court in Washington Monday—Singular Coincidence in Baltimore.

Before the highest court in the land on Monday, the fate of Robert Sawyer and Arthur Adams, the condemned mutineers from the schooner Harry A. Berwind, will be tried in Washington. The date is the one upon which their appeal for a new trial will be heard in the United States Supreme Court and the issue is being watched with interest, by maritime interests all over the world. The fate of Henry Scott, the third of the muntineers, also rests upon the hearing of the case, for should a new trial be granted, his execution would be deferred as he is one of the principal witnesses for the government against the appellants. Neither George Rountree, Esq., nor George L. Peschau, Esq., counsel for the mutineers, will attend the hearing in Washington, submitting their brief in behalf of the prisoners through a law firm in that city.

In this connection the following from yesterday's Baltimore Sun will be read with interest:

"Yesterday the schooner Harry A. Berwind, Captain Davidson, arrived from Fernandina with a cargo of lumber. She is the vessel upon which her master and four of the crew were murdered last October, and , as a coincidence, the schooner Blanche H. King, Captain Taylor, which picked up the Berwind and captured the mutineers, is also in port. The fact that Mrs. Taylor, wife of Captain Taylor, became one of the crew to receive salvage for saving the Berwind was told in The Sun of January 9th, a few days after it was decided by the Court of Awards that she was entitled to receive her pro-rata."

OPEN JUNK BUSINESS.

Maj. L. Leon, of Charlotte, Will Locate in Wilmington.

Maj. L. Leon, a well known citizen of Charlotte, and prominent in the Confederate Veteran organizations of that city, has purchased with Mr. H. Sternheimer, of Norfolk, the junk business of the late Wm. A. Eckels, on Chesnut street, and will be in charge of the place in the future. It is proposed to greatly enlarge the business, and to operate in connection with a chain of junk stores along the coast. Mr. Sternheimer recently purchased the burned burlaps in the Willard bag factory after the fire, and has been in the city some time with his wife. The style of the firm here will probably be Leon & Sternheimer and it is proposed to make the establishment one of the largest in the State.

Maj. Leon has been identified with the business interests of Charlotte for more than 25 years. He is a native of Germany and went to Charlotte just before the war, being connected during later years with the Carolina Clothing Company, of that city. Maj. Leon's family will join him here this Fall.

ORGANIZATION COMPLETE.

"The Unionists' Advancement Social Club" To Be Chartered.

A meeting of the trades unionists, who are interested in the establishment of a workingmen's social club in this city was held in Central Hall last night.

The report of the committee on name, constitution and rules was approved, it being decided to name the organization "The Unionist' Advancement Social Club."

The secretary was instructed to apply for a charter, and a special committee was appointed to secure a suitable hall, which it is proposed to fit up as a workingmen's library and reading room as early as practicable.

The unionists have received encouragement from some of the best citizens of Wilmington, who realize that much good may be accomplished through such a club as they are forming.

The object of the club, as is stated in its constitution, is: "To promote the interests and elevate the trades of organized white workingmen, and to afford a means for social intercourse betwen its members."

SHE COULDN'T RECOVER.

Case Against Southern Express Company Dismissed Yesterday.

The action for recovery of something like $40 from the Southern Express Company by Lizzie Moore, colored, who alleged that she had not received a Christmas package that had been sent to her by her father in Georgia, was dismissed in Justice Furlong's court yesterday. Her counsel, William J. Bellamy, Esq., took an appeal to the higher court. Mr. W. L. Smith and Col. Thos. Evans, handwriting experts, were introduced in behalf of the express company. The woman claimed that she had not received the package and that same had perhaps been delivered to another Lizzie Moore, of whom there are several in the city. The writing experts, however, decided that the signature for the package when it was delivered was the same as that which the plaintiff offered in court for comparison. The express company was represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq.

May Invest in Waycross.

Mr. R. M. Wescott, of this city, spent several days the past week in Waycross, Ga., the guest of Mr. W. A. Price. It is understood that Mr. Wescott contemplates investing very largely in Waycross and may locate there.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. R. Newbury, of Magnolia, was here yesterday.

—Mr. Frank Sessoms, of Point Caswell, was here yesterday.

—Mr. J. M. Ragsdale, of Florence, S. C., was here yesterday.

—Mr. S. A. L. Johnson, of Abbottsburg, was here yesterday.

—Col. Geo. L. Morton has gone for a business trip to Augusta.

—Miss Gertrude Bryan has gone to Scott's Hill to spend Sunday.

—Mr. J. J. Street, of Goldsboro, was among last night's arrivals.

—Mr. John J. Barrett, of Belhaven, N. C., is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. H. B. Short, of Lake Waccamaw was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mr. T. H. Holland, of Bowden, N. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. John W. Batson leaves this morning for Kinston, N. C., on a brief visit.

—Mr. A. J. Crampton, of Charlotte, was here yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Sheriff Frank H. Stedman returned last night from a business trip to Fayetteville.

—Mr. Wm. B. Merrimon, of Greensboro, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. Howard C. Curtis, of Southport, was a pleasant caller at the Star office yesterday.

—W. H. Pope, Esq., the well known A. C. L., attorney of Fayetteville, was here yesterday.

—Mr. K. C. Barrett, of the Southern Express Company at Rocky Mount, was here yesterday.

—Hon. Robt. B. Scarborough and Mr. W. L. Mishoe, of Conway, S. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. S. L. Smith is confined to his home on account of painful injury as the result of running a nail into his foot.

—Mrs. C. M. Nixon, of Vista, N. C., is a guest at the home of Mrs. Henrietta Shepard, No. 208 South Fourth street.

—Messrs. R. K. Bryan and J. T. Foy, of Scott's Hill, were here yesterday, returning from Pender Superior Court at Burgaw.

—Miss Laura Allen, of Fayetteville, who has been the charming guest of friends and relatives in the city, has returned home.

—Mr. Walter Buckner, superintendent of the Southern Express Co., returned yesterday morning from a business trip to Richmond.

—Cap. T. O. Bunting, Jr., now with the Coast Line at Sanford, Fla., was here yesterday and expected to return last night via Rocky Mount.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Brown and Miss Myrtle Koons, of Chadbourn, N. C., spent yesterday in the city, returning home on the afternoon train.

—Ex-Governor C. B. Aycock, of Goldsboro, arrived last night to attend a referee hearing in the case of the Acme Machine Works and others vs. C. F. MacRae, receiver of the Auburn Lumber Co.

—Among last night's arrivals were E. W. Kelly, Effingham, S. C.; W. P. Boney, Mariana, Fla.; U. L. Barrett, Charlotte; Geo. H. Currie, and W. M. Dunn, Clarkton, and Geo. A. Anthony, Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Frank George, formerly a member of the police department, came in yesterday to spend a day or two. He has been very sick with pneumonia for several weeks, but is now much improved.

—High Point correspondence Greensboro Telegram: "Mr. Sidney Smith, of Columbia, S. C., engaged in the double tracking of the Southern near this place, and who has been confined to the hospital for several days is reported improved to-day. His sister, Miss Oliver Smith, of Wilmington, is with him."

NATIONAL QUARANTINE BILL.

Amendments to Make Measure Satisfactory to Democrats.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, March 30.—The House Committee on Inter-State and Foreign Commerce to-day instfucted its subcommittee on the quarantine bill to prepare certain amendments to the measure and report to the full committee to-morrow. The bill has been made a special order in the House for Tuesday and has previously been ordered reported by the committee.

The amendments relate principally to inter-State traffic, and provide that it shall be lawful for common carriers to transport passengers and freight through a State under quarantine complying with certain regulations, but prohibiting the debarkation of such passengers or unloading of freight from a quarantined State in another State contrary to the regulations thereof.

The committee's action to-day was taken that Democratic members of the committee and of the House might give their support to the bill.

Lettuce Market Better.

Lettuce growers are much encouraged at the market outlook North. A Philadelphia house yesterday quoted good stock strong at $2 per basket. Good shipments Monday are advised. Radishes are wanted. Several carloads of lettuce and radishes will go forward from East Wilmington the first of next week.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets: Service at 11 o'clock to-morrow; and at 8 o'clock P. M.; Sunday School at 4 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor, Strangers welcome; seats free.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner of Fourth and Orange streets, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M.; Evening prayer at 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Seats free; Strangers are cordially invited.

Market Street Methodist Church next to corner of Ninth and Market streets: Rev. M. J. Duryea, pastor. Services tomorrow at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel to-morrow afternoon at 3 P. M., by the Chaplain. Seamen and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

Southside Baptist church, corner Fifth and Wooster streets, services: Preaching Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Prayer service Wednesday night at 8 P. M. The public earnestly invited to attend. W. H. Davis, pastor.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Sabbath School at 3:30 P. M.; W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M.; Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

First Baptist Church, Rev. Fred. D. Hale, D. D., pastor: Preaching tomorrow 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School 3:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 P. M. B. Y. P. U. Friday 8 P M. Public cordially invited to all services.

MEETINGS AT ST. ANDREWS'.

Rev. D. P. McGeachy Preaching With Great Power and Effect.

Rev. D. P. McGeachy, of Lenoir, N. C., who is so well and favorably known in Wilmington, is preaching with much power and results at the series of meetings being conducted this week at Saint Andrew's Presbyterian church. The services have been heretofore in the lecture room, but the congregations have grown so that it has been necessary to move into the large main auditorium of the church. There have been a number of confessions of faith during the past week with hundreds of requests for prayer. There will be no services to-day but large congregations are expected tomorrow. Rev. Mr. McGeachy will remain with Dr. McClure until after Monday.

Negro Woman Slashed.

Henrietta Newkirk, a colored woman, was taken from Hutaff's alley to the hospital early last night. She had a severe gash four or five inches long, and pretty deep on the thigh, requiring six stitches. The woman had the old stereotyped explanation for the hospital people, which was to the effect that another "nigger," absolutely without provocation, as she was pursuing the quiet, even tenor of her way, came up to her and slashed her with a knife. She will be out in a day or two.

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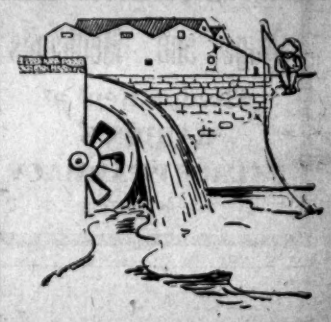

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MINERS ENTOMBED FOR TWENTY DAYS

Horrible Experience of Thirteen Emaciated Men Who Were Rescued Yesterday From Mine in France.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Lens, France, March 30.—The disaster at the Courriers coal mines had a startling sequel today when 13 miners were taken out alive after having endured unspeakable horrors during twenty days of entombment. The story of the survivors discloses that they lived for many days on putrid horse meat amid total darkness and in the strench from scores of decaying corpses. The presence of human flesh would speedily have forced the starving men to resort to the last desperate extremity if they had not been rescued. The survivors were sturdy young miners from 17 to 25 years of age except their leader, Henri Nemy, who is 28 years old. All show the terrible effects of their experiences, being emaciated, exhausted and blinded. Their rescue caused a temporary nervous lucidity during which they greeted their relatives and graphically related their sufferings. The doctors then enforced quiet upon them fearing the results of fever and poisoning from their having eaten decayed horse flesh. There were touching scenes as wives and mothers greeted those whom they had long given up dead. Crowds besieged the hospitals to which the men were taken, cheering the survivors and imprecating the effective nature of the salvage work that followed immediately after the disaster.

The rescue of these thirteen men revived the hope in many families that others are alive and the relatives of those whose bodies have not been recovered clamorously demanded that efforts be redoubled to bring out any possible survivors.

There is a report that in addition to the 13 men who were brought up out of the mine today there were five others who came with them almost to the bottom of the pit, but were unable to come further on account of the exhaustion.

The total number of men missing after the catastrophe was 1,212. The bodies recovered approximately numbered 500 and there are still unaccounted for approximately 700.

The engineers explain that some outgoing fires prevented them from exploding remote passages of the mine, where it was thought that there could be no survivors. The mine owners also claim that the strike of miners reduced the number of rescuers available. Many engineers and scientists agree that all in the mine must have veided long ago. Engineer Taur, however, dissents, asserting that the salvage work has been deplorably inefficient, and he believes that scores died of exhaustion owing to the poor work of the salvage companies.

OUTLOOK FOR SPRING TRADE.

Impending Coal Strike and Wet Weather Hurt Some.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New York, March 30.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say:

Cross currents are visible in the business situation. Unsettled weather, making for bad roads, has been a check to consumptive Spring demand, which also feels the influence of the impending coal strike. The advent of Spring-like weather, accompanying the former development is however, favorable to improvement later on.

There are reports that Spring planting has been interferred with West and South, but later advices point to planting actively beginning in the Southwest, and from the Winter wheat belt uniformly favorable despatches are received. Beneath the surface happenings of the week are to be discerned the steady advance of Spring trade, the continuance of the immense activity in building, with collateral heavy dealings in all kinds of lumber and material, and the underlying confidence in a heavy years turn over in all lines. Money is strong and in active demand throughout the country. Bank clearings show receding totals, this being mainly due to curtailed speculation. Railway earnings continue excellent as heretofore. The strength of prices in most industrial lines is marked.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending March 29th number 169 against 170 last week, 227 in the like week of 1905, 212 in 1904, 145 in 1903 and 176 in 1902.

STARVATION AND CANIBALISM.

Horrible Story of Destruction of Two Tribes in Russia.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

St. Petersburg, March 30.—Horrible accounts are reaching St. Petersburg of canalbalism and starvation among tribes inhabiting the frozen Arctic plain of the Chuckhis penisula, at the extremity of Asia. During the last Winter whole tribes have died, members of the Omolons and Ololya tribes agreed that each head of a family should kill his wife and children and then commit suicide. The tribesmen gathered on a plateau covered with snow and ice when the decision was executed, not a single member of the two tribes survived. In a family of the Yukahir tribe, a mother and nine of her children having died of hunger, the father, a surviving daughter and a nephew lived upon the remains and when they were consumed the father murdered the nephew.

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STANDARD OIL IN POLITICS.

Congressman Complains That Company is Endeavoring to Defeat Him.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, March 30.—The House today passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill carrying $30,000,000, after considering the measure two weeks.

The bill as passed carries nearly $700,000 less than the last appropriation bill for similar purposes.

An effort to discontinue the service of special agents to investigate trade conditions abroad, the bill carrying an appropriation of $30,000 to pay salaries and actual traveling expenses, failed.

During the consideration of the bill the Bureau of Standard was severely criticised by Mr. Stayden, of Texas, and Mr. Gaines, of Tennessee. They contended that for a bureau which was but five years old it had grown to giant proportions. It started with twelve officers and the present bill carried an appropriation for 87 officers and employes. Mr. Stayden said it required two departments of the government—the Navy Department and the Naval Observatory—to tell the Bureau of Standards when it was noon and that upon information by these departments, the Bureau of Standards was ready to standardize chronometers.

The item, however, carried by the bill was allowed to stand.

A point of order was sustained against the section classifying persons over sixty-five years and making a horizontal reduction in salaries after that age, and it went out of the bill.

The committee having completed the reading of the bill proceeded to insert the several items against which points had been made previous to the passage of the rule prohibiting points of order.

Criticism of the Standard Oil Company for participation in politics, was made by Mr. Mann, of Illinois. He recited the fact that he had made reports and had had charge of several bills in the past aimed at this company, and that now the comapny was endeavoring to retaliate by activity against him in his district.

At 6 o'clock the House adjourned.

GREENE AND GAYNOR TRIAL.

Testimony was About Piles of Captain Carter's Money.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Savannah, March 30.—Most of the session to-day in the Greene and Gaynor case was occupied by the introduction of documentary evidence relating to R. F. Westcott's finances.

Captain Charles Sweeney, a seaman, who had been in the employ of Greene and Gaynor, testified at the trial to-day that he had often heard Carter tell Cooper, the supervising engineer, to keep the work up to specifications and had heard Cooper tell Carter that the work was "getting on finely."

E. J. Johnson, government custodian of the records in the Greene and Gaynor case, was recalled to the stand. Mr. Erwin asked him about the civil suit in Chicago, in which the government is seeking to recover $475,000 from Carter.

"A part of that was $200,000 which we found hidden away in a box in Huntington wasn't it?" asked the district attorney.

"Yes, sir, mostly in $1,000 bills," replied the witness.

"And $35,000, Carter's brother was keeping for him at Oakland. Ill.?"

"Yes, sir."

It was brought out that Johnson is receiving $20 a day and expenses as custodian of the records.

BULGARIAN MURDER MYSTERY.

Theory Now That Six Men Were Killed for Money.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 30.—Petros Stoja, interpreter for the Bulgarian crew of which, the six victims of Tuesday's wholesale murders were members, reached Minneapolis to-day from Duluth in charge of police. He was at once taken to the morgue to identify the bodies. Attempts to connect him with the crime have apparently failed.

The police are now more strongly inclined to the theory that the murders were committed by other Bulgarians who knew that the six men had been off at Alborn just before coming to Minneapolis ten days ago.

Thomas Wilson, clerk of the Willard Hardware Company, Duluth, came to Minneapolis to-day and identified the five knives found in the house of slaughter, but said none of the men lying dead at the morgue was in the party which purchased the knives.

TOM JOHNSON AGAIN.

City Councils and Legislatures Bad, But Senate is Worse.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Pittsburg, March 30.—At the Board of Trade banquet to-night Mayor Tom L. Johnson said in a speech:

"I would rather be Mayor of Cleveland than United States Senator. There was a time when we looked on members of the highest branch of our government with reverence, but to-day that body has reached the stage where monopoly rules. The body is dead, and is made up of corpses and those that are not corpses are corrupt. Our councils with all their boodle and graft are bad, but they are better than the Legislatures and they in turn are better than the United States Senate."

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HESTER'S COTTON STATISTICS.

Crop To Date 9,775,457 Bales—10,748,940 Previous Year.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New Orleans, March 30.—Secretary Hester's weekly cotton statement issued to-day shows since September 1st. receipts at all United States ports to be 6,695,737 against 7,793,191 last year.

The total movement since September 1st is 9,310,926 against 10,586,853 last year. Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop the supply to date is 9,755,457 against 10,748,840 for the same period last year.

Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued to-day shows the total visible to be 4,653,496 against 4,788,974 last week and 4,228,126 last year. Of this, the total of American cotton is 3,122,496 against 3,301,974 last week and 3,009,126 last year and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,531,000 against 1,487,000 last week and 1,219,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continent Europe, 2,209,000 against 2,069,000 last year, in Egypt 174,000 against 206,000 last year, in India 970,000 against 740,000 last year and in the United State, 1,300,000 against 1,213,000 last year and 791,000 year before last.

NEW ORLEANS WOMAN SUICIDE.

Killed Herself in New York Under Agreement.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, March 30.—Mrs. May Kay, a young woman from New Orleans, who shot herself yesterday in a New York hotel, died to-day. The coroner announced he would make a thorough investigation. He said that yesterday, a woman who said she was Mrs. Kay called him up on the telephone. This woman asked the coroner whether another young widow, Mrs. Hugh Dennis, who died Thursday night at a hotel under peculiar circumstances, had suffered any pain. To-day the coroner became convinced that there was some connection between the two deaths and suspects that there was a suicide pact between the women. It was also reported to-day that Mrs. Kay had an agreement with a man in New Orleans to hill herself and that this man did kill himself some time ago.

MECKLENBURG DECLARATION.

President Will Send Marine Band and Troops to Charlotte.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, March 30.—Mayor S. S. McNinch, of Charlotte, N. C., accompanied by Walter G. Coleman, of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad, discussed with the President to-day the celebration of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence to be held at Charlotte on May 21st, 22nd, and 23rd next. They asked the President that official recognition of the celebration be given by the National government. The President promised to direct the proper authorities to send to Charlotte on the occasion of the celebration Troop E, of the Thirteenth Cavalry, a company of marines and the marine band, from Washington, and two companies of infantry from Fort McPherson at Atlanta, Ga. In addition to the United States forces, State troops from North Carolina and other Southern States will participate in the celebration.

THE MERIWETHER CASE.

Midshipman's Resignation Accepted—Part of Confinement Remitted.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Annapolis, Md., March 30.—The Naval Academy authorities were officially notified today by Secretary Bonaparte that the resignation of Midshipman Minor Meriwether, Jr., of Louisiana, has been accepted and that the unexpired part of the sentence to one year's confinement within the Academy grounds imposed by the court martial before which he was convicted of minor charges resulting from his fatal fistic fight with the late Midship man James R. Branch, Jr., of New York, had been remitted. Meriwether left the Academy this afternoon.

TO DEVELOP DISMAL SWAMP.

Railroad to Be Built to Take Out Timber.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Norfolk, Va., March 30.—The Elizabeth River Railroad Company has been established to run new lines of railroad from Norfolk to the Dismal Swamp and bridge permits for the beginning of building operation have been secured. The new railroad will give outlet to millions of feet of lumber to be cut and manufactured by plants now established and others to be established and will mean vast development in the rich timber lands through the Dismal Swamp section in Virginia and North Carolina.

Mr. R. Y. Zachary, a native of this State, and now connected with the American Suburban Corporation, who are now improving the new and desirable addition "Carolina Place," is now in the city. The company which he represents is selling their lots at very reasonable prices and on most attractive terms. Mr. Zachary's phone No. is 827 and messages left there will receive his prompt attention. He will be glad to make dates with prospective purchasers and take them out in a carriage to show the property. 3-25tf**

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It is now twelve months since I became a graduate of your noble Institution. I was a hard drinker, could never be without whiskey, craved it all the time; now it never enters my thoughts. The taste has left me completely. It has made my home life so different. The first question my little ones put to me, when I arrived home from the Keeley, was: "You are not going to drink any more, are you?" It proved to me how terrible must have been their sufferings. It is all over now, they are happy and sure of me; before, they never knew in what condition I would come home. The Keeley will positvely do the same for others. I have heard drinking men say they would like to take the treatment, but are afraid of what people will say. My advice is take the treatment and find out afterwards what they will say. You will be agreeably surprised. I am proud of the Keeley, and do not mind the world knowing it. My employer can trust me now, and he does, where he could not before. Any one who loves whiskey, or is addicted to the drug habit, loves the Devil. So take the Keeley Cure and drive the Devil away.

The Keeley is like a well regulated home; the management is perfect; you are properly cared for. I am small and spare, yet gained twenty pounds in the four week's treatment. I found the manager a perfect gentle man, always ready and willing to help me; the doctor is like a father, always watching his patients, and keeping them in order. The attendants are obliging, and willing at all times to help and amuse. A mother could not look after her boy better than the Keeley. The sleeping and eating arrangements are perfect. Baths, lots of literature and music, and early to bed and early to rise. You are in the center ow town yet private. Beautiful grounds and shade trees surround the Keeley—in fact, it is a perfect little Paradise to the patient, who knows and feels that he is going to leave it a new man, ready to take his place in what will be to him a new world.

Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 9, 1904.

F. W. CARPENTER.

Send names and addresses of those who may be benefitted to the Keeley Institute, Greensboro, N. C.,

FIRE AT CLINTON, N. C.

Twelve Thousand Blaze at Sampson County Seat.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., March 30.—Clinton had a twelve thousand dollar fire on last night, starting about 11 o'clock and burning the large two-story brick structure owned by W. B. Stewart in which was the store of A. M. Barbrey; also our well equipped postoffice, telephone exchange office, Parker's barber shop, law office of Fowler & Crumpler and W. B. Stewart's business office.

The restaurant building owned by Joseph Nolly, to the rear of this, was destroyed and the building adjoining owned by L. A. Bethune, in which is the Bank of Clinton, was damaged slightly, though fully covered by insurance. Mr. Stewart lost above insurance about $2,000 and Mr. Barbrey, from $1,000 to $1,500. No others had insurance. The Bank of Clinton opened at 11 o'clock to-day after the fire.

THE NORRIS CASE.

Witness Who Made a Mistake Did Not Answer.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 30.—There was another order for continuance this afternoon in the noted case by State Insurance Commissioner Young against M. T. Norris, the prominent merchant charged with setting fire to the Norris' farm house, so his wife could collect the insurance of $500 from the North Carolina Home Company. Now the continuance is to Wednesday, April 11th, and is because of the failure of J. J. Thomas, of Moncure, to appear in obedience to a subpoena for his presence for cross-examination as to the affidavit he made since hearing that he swore falsely, and that he really saw no fire in the house after Norris had visited it. Counsel reported that the subpoena was served on Thomas three days ago, and it was said, he was seen to take the train at Merry Oaks this morning going toward Durham. An instanter capias was issued and Thomas is to be arrested at once and brought to Raleigh, if found.

In New York yesterday Justice Dowling in the Supreme Court granted the application made Thursday by District Attorney Jerome for a special grand jury to investigate insurance matters. Justice Dowling said he had consulted his associate justices, and that they agreed as to the advisability of granting Mr. Jerome's request.

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Special Sale on Blankets.

SPECIAL SALE ON BLANKETS.

Having a broken lot of these special numbers, we will close them out at cost, as long as they last.

10-4 All-Wool Scarlet Blankets, was $4.00, now $3.25
10-4 White Blankets, sold for $3.00. now $2.50
11-4 White Blankets, sold for $5.00, now $3.75
11-4 White Blankets, sold for $4.00, now $3.00
Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, worth $1.50 doz., to go at $1.00
Children's All-Linen Handkerchiefs, per doz. 60c

Agent for the C. B. and Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets. Every Fair Warranted.

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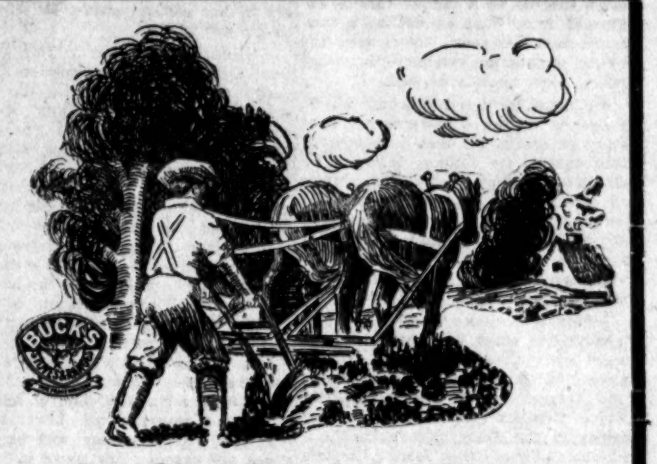

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THE ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.

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One of the few banks in the United States that pays no interest on any form of deposit—enabling us to keep money on hand without loss, rather than lend on doubtful paper. The Chemical National Bank, New York, is our correspondent. They pay no interest, their stock worth over $4,000 per share. We offer you absolute security.

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The gain in new building and industry in North Carolina is greater than at any period in the State's history.. The North Carolina Home Insurance Company, of Raleigh, N. C., should receive its proposition of this prosperity as compared with the percentage of new business given to it in periods of less industrial activity. Give it the insurange on the desirable new properties you have to offer. It will help to build up our home State and continue the great era of prosperity now enjoyed by our people.

WALKER TAYLOR, Agent., Wilmington, N. C.

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PATENTS, TANS, KIDS, GUN METALS.,
HOSIERY TO MATCH.

Solomon's Shoe Store.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Governor R. B. Glenn will address the citizens of Hamlet on the night of the 21st of April on the temperance question.

—Monroe Enquirer: A citizen of Lane's Creek township makes a long string of barbed wire do double service. The wire is used for a fence and also for a telephone line.

—The Seaboard Air Line has installed a new electric plant at Hamlet and lights were turned on Saturday night for the first time. This plant will only be used in lighting the company's premises.

—Polly Ann Scales, a well-known colored resident of Reidsville has given birth to triplets. This is the second time she has borne triplets within two years. She is also the mother of two set of twins. Ten children at four births is not a bad record.

—Kinston Free Press: Mr. C. C. Basden, one of the most successful farmers of Onslow county, was in the city Tuesday to dispose of some meat he had raised. Mr. Basden's success as a farmer can be estimated from what he did on a two-horse farm last year. He cleared $2,400 on an average two-horse farm and raised 8,000 pounds of pork.

—Kinston correspondence: W. C. Fields is having constructed a two-story extension 100 feet deep and 48 feet wide to the building occupied by the Ellis Carriage Works, with a view to doubling the capacity of the factory. The factory now employs over 40 skilled workmen and the output averages weekly a buggy to each workman, and yet the demand for these buggies cannot be supplied.

—Fayetteville correspondence: The iron bridge which is to be thrown at once over Cross Creek, on Green street, will be one of the handsomest and largest street iron bridges in North Carolina—necessarily, as few towns in the State have so noble a stream as Cross Creek flowing through its centre. It will be provided with both broad carriage ways and ample footways, protected by railing from vehicle traffic.

—Charlotte Observer: Mr. John McChee, whose store at Chadwick was entered and the safe blown open a few nights ago, has recovered a number of insurance policies, land deeds and other valuable papers which had been taken from the safe. The burglars had carrier the papers off, but when they had looked them over and saw that they were useless to them they very considerately returned the documents, placing them in an out-house near the store where they would surely be found.

—Charlotte Observer: Jim Belk, the negro hack driver at whose home two white women were found a few days ago, was arraigned in the city police court yesterday morning on the charge of keeping a disorderly house. There was no doubt from the evidence that Belk had been running such a house, but there was no evidence of disorder and there is no law by which the defendant could be punished. The two women found at Belk's house were Bertha Gray and Stella Walker, two traveling demi-mondes.

—Wilson correspondence: Eight hundred and forty one electors registered for the dispensary election, which will be held next Monday, and out of this number 28 challenges were sustained. The number registered three years ago for a similar election was practically the same. At that election seven hundred and seven votes were cast, the dispensary winning by a majority of twenty-one votes. Both sides admit that the result at the coming election is doubtful. Advocates on either side claim a victory. The campaign is quite warm, but thus far there has been comparatively little bad blood caused by the agitation.

—Raleigh News and Observer, March 30: Deputy Sheriff Walters, who had been sent to Newport News, Va., to bring back to the State Luther Horton, of Little River Township, charged with adbuction and elopement with a married woman, returned to the city yesterday morning with his prisoner, who is now in Wake county jail in default of bond fixed in the sum om three hundred dollars. Horton eloped about the 9th of March with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Rosa Perry. The woman had been married not more than sixty days at the time. Prior to her marriage she had been living at the home of Horton. There is reason to believe that her relations with the man with whom she eloped antedated her marriage.

—Asheville special, March 29th: Three suits were to-day entered against John S. Huyler, the New York candy manufacturer, as a result of the breaking of the large dam on his estate at Montreat in the Winter floods. One is brought by John E. Enthoffer, another by George W. Steep and the third by the Black Mountain Inn Company. The complaints have not been filed and the amounts are not stated. It is said heavy damages will be asked however. These plaintiffs allege that their lands are practically ruined as a result of the bad washing from the great flood of water released by the breaking dam. Other suits have been brought by property owners in that section against Mr. Huyler as a result of this.

—Charlotte Observer: The Charlotte Consolidated Construction Company yesterday afternon let the contracts for the largest amount of machinery ever ordered by a Charlotte corporation. The total cost will figure something between $200,000 and $300,000. The present plant, which is valued at $65,000, will be discarded entirely, and improved machinery will take its place. The new development, which will be more than double that of the old, will be finished by the last of the Summer. It is needless to add that Charlotte will then have one of the finest electric power plants in the South. In order to accommodate the vastly increased amount of gas that is to be used, a monster tank of 300,000 cubic feet capacity, will have to be erected. This reservoir will be five times the capacity of those in use. Aside from the fact that this is one of the largest orders for machinery ever issued in North Carolina, the development is destined to excite considerable interest among engineering experts! The machinery is of the latest patents, certain processes being quite radical in nature. The inventors claim that the new processes are marked improvements over the old, in that greater economy and efficiency is secured. The generation of electricity by means of gas is said to be 50 per cent. cheaper than by steam. Thorough tests are to be made at all points. Several of the large manufacturing plants in the North are using the gas engines to generate electricity but their introduction in the South is quite new. Hence the interest that is being atached to the insallation of the new plant in Charlotte.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

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A Little Care Will Save Many Wilmington Readers Future Trouble.

Watch the kidney secretions.
See that they have the amber hue of health:
The discharges not excessive or infrequent;
Contain no "brick-dust like" sediment.
Doan's Kidney Pills will do this for you.
They watch the kidneys and cure them when they're sick.
Wilmington testimony proves it.
P. C. Le Moyne, contractor, of 223 North Seventh street, says: "I did not know that the trouble with my back was caused by my kidneys not acting properly, although I noticed the secretions from those organs were dark and very irregular, sometimes free and at other times scanty. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and went to Bellamy's drug store and got a box. I was surprised at the result, for I have not had backache since I used them."
For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffola, New York, sole agents for the United States.
Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. **

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Prominent men from all parts of the country are endorsing Vinol, and strong testimonial letters from four ministers of the gospel and several physicians have been received within a week. Such unsolicited testimony as this is the best proof of merit any medicine can have.

The Rev. George W. Ruland, of Keene, N. H., writes: "I have used your cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, as a tonic, and I do not believe there is any other medicine that can equal it. It built me up and strengthened me when run down and overworked. Vinol has done for me more than was claimed for it."

"We honestly believe there is no other remedy on cod liver oil preparation known to medicine that has the healing, strengthening power which Vinol has, and if it fails to create strength and health for run down, debilitated people, old people, weak, sickly women and children, nursing mothers, and after a severe sickness, or if it fails to cure a hacking cough, chronic cold, throat or bronchial trouble, or to make those who are too thin, fat, rosy and healthy, we will return every cent paid us for it.

Is there a sick ailing or aged person in Wilmington, who can afford to ignore this generous offer?" Robert R. Bellamy, Druggist.

Doctors are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and in Grippe. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy, Druggist. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. **

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CONDENSED STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF

The Southern National Bank

WILMINGTON, N. C.

At Close of Business January 26, 1906

RESOURCES

LOANS	$318,694 98
OVERDRAFTS	720 89
UNITED STATES BONDS AND PREMIUM	207,500 00
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	4,863 82
CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS	366,021 56
TOTAL	$897,801 25

LIABILITIES

CAPITAL	$200,000 00
*SURPLUS	73,840 00
UNDIVIDED PROFITS, NET,	3,364 14
CIRCULATION	200,000 00
DEPOSITS	420,597 11
TOTAL	$897,801 25

*Began business September 18, 1905, with capital fully paid and a subscription of $100,000 00 to surplus, payable in monthly instalments. Gain in resources since Nov. 9th, $201,467.01.

CHAS. N. EVANS, Cashier.

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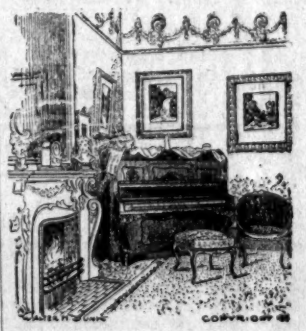

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Scatters the Guano instead of putting it into a small stream.
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No cogs and chains.
Nothing to get out of fix.
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In the Name of Sense, that good common sense of which all of us have a share, how can you continue to buy ordinary soda crackers, stale and dusty as they must be, when for 5¢ you can get

Uneeda Biscuit

fresh from the oven, protected from dirt by a package the very beauty of which makes you hungry.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect, March 26, 1906.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 20 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	2 08 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	8 00 p m	4 07 a m
A. Washington	11 40 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 15 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 58 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily via Wilson.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jack'ville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv. Tampa	8 35 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5 20 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar. 3 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

HORACE M. EMERSON, General Traffic Manager.

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Atlantic & North Carolina R. R

LOCAL PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

Effective, Dec. 10, 1905.

EASTERN TIME.

EASTBOUND	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 3. Daily P. M.
Lv. Goldsboro	8.00	3.40
" Best's	8.21	4.01
" LaGrange	8.32	4.13
" Falling Creek	8.43	4.25
" Kinston	8.56	4.40
" Caswell	9.13	4.52
" Dover	9.23	5.02
" Cove	9.41	5.16
" Tuscarora	9.51	5.26
Ar. Newbern	10.10	5.48
Lv. Newbern	10.15	5.55
" Riverdale	10.34	6.18
" Croatan	10.38	6.22
" Havelock	10.50	6.35
" Newport	11.06	6.52
" Wildwood	11.12	6.58
" Mansfield	11.16	7.02
Ar. Morehead City	11.30	7.20
" Morehead City Depot	11.40	7.30
	P. M.	
" Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo)	12.20	8.10

WESTBOUND	No. 3 Daily A. M.	No.4 Daily P. M.
Lv. Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo)	7.00	3.35
" Morehead City Depot	7.40	4.15
" Morehead City	7.50	4.22
" Mansfield	8.01	4.33
" Wildwood	8.05	4.37
" Newport	8.11	4.45
" Havelock	8.27	4.59
" Croatan	8.39	5.11
" Riverdale	8.43	5.15
Ar. Newbern	9.05	5.40
Lv. Newbern	9.10	5.48
" Tuscarora	9.31	6.10
" Cove	9.41	6.20
" Dover	9.58	6.36
" Caswell	10.08	6.46
" Kinston	10.22	7.00
" Falling Creek	10.35	7.13
" LaGrange	10.47	7.26
" Best's	10.58	7.37
Ar. Goldsboro	11.20	7.55

Trains Nos. 1 and 4 connect at Goldsboro with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 41, southbound; No. 42, northbound, and with Southern Railway trains Nos. 117, westbound, and No. 112 eastbound.

Trains Nos. 2 and 3 connect at Goldsboro with Southern Railway trains as follows: No. 108, eastbound; No. 135, westbound, and with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 49, southbound, and No. 48, northbound.

Pullman Sleeping Car and Parlor Car service has been discontinued for the season.

R. E. L. BUNCH, Traffic Manager.

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To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect, Jan. 23, 1906.
(Daily.)

Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville
6.00 A. M.	6.30 A. M.
	Leave Beach.
7.00 A. M.	8.15 A. M
10.00 A. M.	10.45 A. M.
11.30 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
1.30 P. M.	2.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
7.30 P. M.	9.15 P. M.

Saturdays—Extra Cars.

4.30 p. m.	3.45 p. m.
10.00 p. m.	5.15 p.m
	10.45 p. m.

Sunday cars every half hour from 1:00 to 6:00 P. M.

Beginning Tuesday the 3:00 o'clock suburban car will leave the Beach on its return trip at 5:15 P. M., instead of at 4:45 P. M., thus giving one-half hour longer to enjoy the ocean breeze

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.
(Daily except Sunday.)

Freigh depot open from 2.30 to 3.30 P. M.

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To make difficulties of trifles is the common tendency. Want advertising enables one to make trifles of difficulties.

Seaboard Air Line

RAILWAY.

Direct Line to Principal Cities North, West and South.

Effective January 8, 1906.

Between Wilmington and New York.

Read Down			Read Up
12 25 p m	Lv.	New York Ar.	4 15 p m
2 55 p m	Lv.	Philadelphia Lv.	1 46 p m
5 10 p m	Lv.	Baltimore Lv.	11 32 a m
7 25 p m	Lv.	Washington Lv.	10 30 a m
11 00 p m	Lv.	Richmond Lv.	6 15 a m
6 20 a m	Lv.	Raleigh Lv.	1 10 a m
8 40 a m	Lv	S'uth'n Pines Lv.	11 06 p m
8 40 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Lv.	10 15 p m
1 00 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Read Down			Read Up
6 24 p m	Lv.	Norfolk Ar.	8 20 a m
8 50 p m	Lv.	Portsmouth Ar.	8 00 a m
1 35 a m	Lv.	Henderson Lv.	3 03 a m
3 20 a m	Lv.	Raleigh Lv.	1 30 a m
6 30 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 30 a m
8 40 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
1 00 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Read Down			Read Up
2 10 p m	Lv.	Bimingham Ar.	1 10 p m
7 40 p m	Ar.	Atlanta Lv.	8 00 a m
9 00 p m	Lv.	Atlanta Ar.	7 40 a m
11 23 p m	Lv.	Athens Lv.	6 08 a m
2 00 a m	Lv	Greenwood Lv.	3 35 a m
4 06 a m	Lv.	Chester Lv.	1 18 a m
7 30 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 15 p m
8 40 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
1 00 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Montgomery, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Read Down			Read Up
8 30 a m	Lv.	Tampa Ar.	6 35 p m
1 53 p m	Lv.	Tallahasse Ar.	3 10 p m
5 24 p m	Ar.	Jacksonville Lv.	10 00 a m
7 50 p m	Lv.	Jacksonville Ar.	8 55 a m
12 10 a m	Lv.	Savannah Lv.	4 50 a m
5 30 a m	Lv.	Columbia Lv.	12 20 a m
6 25 a m	Lv.	Camden Lv.	12 24 p m
8 40 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 15 p m
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, March 30, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barberrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $3.00 per barrel for hard, $4.75 per barrel for dip and $5.00 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin firm, $2.60 bid; tar firm, at $1.70; crude turpentine, firm at $2.30 and $3.70.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	13
Rosin	322
Tar	180
Crude	—

Same day last year—2 casks spirits turpentine, 69 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar, 58 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 11c.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—131 bales; same day last year, 439 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 75c.; extra prime, 70c.; fancy, 75@80c.; per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 40c.; extra prime, 45c.; fancy, 50c.; Spanish, 85@90c.

CORN—Firm: 62 1-2@65c. per bushel for white.

J. C. BACON—Steady, hame, 12 1-2@13c per pound; shoulders, 10@11; sides dull, 10 to 11.

EGGS—Dull, 11@12 1-2.

CHICKENS—Dull, Springs, 15c. to 25c.; Grown, 30 to 35.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c @65c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c., pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 16 2-3@18.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c per pound.

PORK—Dull, 6 to 7; hams, 8 to 10.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, March 30.—The cotton market was active during today's session and prices showed a comparatively broad range. The coal strike was an unsettling influence early, but an early break was followed by an even sharper rally and the market closed very steady at a net advance of 7 to 15 points. Sales for the day were estimated at 500,000 bales. The opening was steady at a decline of 5 points on near positions which were influenced by rather disappointing cables to an advance of 1 point on the new crop which was sustained by unfavorable weather reports. At first there seemed to be comparatively little cotton for sale, but after an advancing net gain of 2 to 5 points there was heavy pressure which was partly attracted to Western longs. Around 11c for July stop loss orders were uncovered. May declined to 11.03 and July to 10.93 under this pressure when there was a renewal of bull support, the local bull leader sent out bullish circulars which were reassuring to smaller longs, cables from Bremen reported that a recount of the stock there showed a decrease of 61,000 bags American and the local market rallied. Room shorts covered on a scale up and the high point was reached in the late trading, with the market closing within a point or two of the best and only 7 to 8 points below the high level of last Wednesday.

Receipts at the ports today were 13,471 bales against 23,349 last week and 48,426 last year. For the week 100,000 bales against 109,772 last week and 202,712 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 3,091 bales against 15,837 last year and at Houston 2,895 bales against 3,349 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands, 11.70; middling gulf, 11.95; sales 1,023.

Cotton futures opened steady and closed very steady.

Opening—March, 10.85; April, 10.93; May, 11.09; July, 11.02; August, 11.02; August, 10.88; September, 10.48; October, 10.36; December, 10.40; January, 10.42.

Closing—April, 11.08; May, 11.23; June, 11.10; July, 11.12; August, 10.95; September, 10.64; October, 10.47; November, 10.47; December, 10.49; January, 10.52; February, 10.54.

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Port Movements.

Galveston—Firm, 11 15-16c.; net receipts, 2,998 bales.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 3,091 bales.

Mobile—Easy, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, 11 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 11 1-16c.; net receipts, 2,679 bales.

Charleston—Firm, 11c.; net receipts, 99 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 11c.; net receipts, 31 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 866 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-8c. ;net receipts, 1,081 bales.

New York—Quiet, 11.70.

Boston—Quiet, 11.70.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.95; net receipts, 125 bales.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 2,168 bales

Newport News—Net receipts, 100 bales.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 72 bales.

Miscellaneous—Net receipts, 150 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 13,471 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 100 bales; Continent, 7,094 bales; Stock, 766,619 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, receipts, 102,644 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 30,174 bales; France, 3,482 bales; Continent, 44,017 bales; Japan, 3,736 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 6,695,737 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 2,362,684 bales; France, 592,513 bales; Continent, 1,933,294 bales; Japan, 91,954 bales; Mexico, 2,714 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 5-16c.; net receipts, 2,895 bales.

Augusta—Quiet, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 604 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 442 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 27 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 361 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 81 bales.

Cotton Receipts.

New York, March 30, 1906.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston, 2,265,382; New Orleans, 1,356,147; Mobile, 204,959; Savannah, 1, 244,891; Charleston, 156,362; Wilmington, 288,101; Norfolk, 543,402; Baltimore, 54,397; New York, 38,046; Boston, ..,817; Newport News, 13,819; Philadelphia, 6,576; San Francisco, 2,-San Francisco, 28,070; Brunswick, 154,-176; Port Townsend, 49,137; Pensacola, 122,497; Portland, Ore., 2,889; Port Arthur & Sabine Pass., 101,262; Jacksonville, 17,382; Eagle Pass, Texas, 2,949; El Paso, Texas, 150; Laredo, Texas, 5,101; Minor ports, 14,425. Total, 6,695,737 bales.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, March 30, 1906.

For the week ending Friday, March 30th:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 102,644; net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 199,-614. Total receipts since September 1st, 6,695,737; total receipts to same date last year, 7,835,777. Exports for the week, 8,495; exports for same week last year, 17,109. Total exports since September 1st, 4,983,159; total exports same date last year, 257,957. Stock at all United States ports, 766,-619; stock at all United States ports same time last year, 644,475. Stock at all interior towns, 512,263; stock at all interior towns same time last year, 555,976. Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 812,000. Stock of Am. afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 187,000 bales.

Weekly Movement.

New York, March 30, 1906.

The following statistics on the movement of cotton for the week ending Friday, March 30th, were compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange:

	This Year.	Last Year.
Port receipts	101,743	202,712
Overland to Mills and Canada	20,719	29,055
Southern mill takings (estimated)	40,000	40,000
Loss of stock at Interior towns	26,480	7.902
Brought into sight for the week	135,982	263,865
Total Corp Movement.		
Port receipts	6,694,994	7,871,335
Overland to mills and Canada	747,692	799,773
Southern mill takings (estimated)	1,575,000	1,570,000
Stock at interior towns in excess of Sept. 1st	348,369	479,052
Brought into sight thus far for season	9,366.055	10,720,160

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, March 30.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand; prices 2 points lower. American middling fair, 6.55d.; good middling, 6.23d.; middling, 6.03d.; low middling, 5.87d.; good ordinary, 5.69d.; ordinary, 5.49d.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 8,800 American Receipts 17,000 bales, including 12,600 American.

Futures opened easier and closed weak, American middling G. O. C: March, 5.81d.; March and April, 5.81d; April and May, 5.82d.; May and June, 5.84d.; June and July, 5.85d.; July and August, 5.86d.; August and September, 5.83d.; September and October, 5.67d.; October and November, 5.61d; November and December, 5.60d.; December and January, 5.60d.; January and February, 5.61d.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, March 30.—Money on call firm, 5@8 per cent., ruling rate, 5 3-4@6, closing bid, 4 1-2, offered at 6. Time loans firmer, sixty days and ninety days, 5@5 1-4 per cent.; six months, 5. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 485.25@485.30 for demand and at 482.40@482.45 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 483@483 1-2 and 486 1-2@487. Commercial bills 482@482 1-2. Bar silver, 64 7-8. Mexican dollars, 50.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. Refunding, 2s reg.	103 3-4
U. S. Refunding, 2s cou.	104 1-4
U. S. 3s reg	104
U. S. 3s cou.	104 1-4
U. S. old, 4s reg	103 3-4
U. S. old 4s, cou.	104 3-4
U. S. New, 4s reg	132 1-4
U. S. New, 4s cou.	132 1-4
American Tobacco, 4s cert	80
American Tobacco, 5s cert	116 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line, 4s	99 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	104 3-4
L. & N. Unified, 5s	103 1-2
Seaboard Air Line off'd	90 1-2
Southern Railway, 5s off'd	118
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	98 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	107 1-4
American Sugar Refining	140 7-8
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	130 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	154 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio	111 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	95
Chesapeake & Ohio	58 7-8
Louisville & Nashville	150 5-8
Manhattan L.	156
New York Central exd	144 1-4
Norfolk & Western	87 3-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90 1-2
People's Gas	94 3-4
Reading	134 1-2
Reading, 1st pfd	91 1-2
Reading, 2nd pfd	96
Southern Pacific	69
Southern Pacific, pfd	117 7-8
Southern Railway	40 5-8
Southern Railway, pfd	101 7-8
Tenn., Coal & Iron	148
U. S. Steel	40 3-4
U. S. Steel, pfd	106 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	50 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	111
S. A. L., pfd ask'd	56 1-2
Standard Oil	652
Western Union	91 3-4

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Chicago, March 30.—Active demand for May wheat by shorts and cash houses caused general strength today in the local wheat market, the May delivery closing with a net gain of 1-2 @5-8c. Corn was up 1-8. Oats were up 1-8@1-4. Provisions were off 12 1-2 to 20.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	77	78	77	77⅞
July	77	77⅝	77	77½
Sept	77	77⅝	76⅞	77¼
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	44¼	44⅝	44¼	44½
July	44⅜	44⅝	44⅜	44½
Sept	45	45	44⅞	44⅞
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	30½	31	30½	30¾
July	29¼	29¾	29¼	29½
Sept	28⅝	28⅞	28⅝	28¾
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	16.35	16.35	16.10	16.10
July	16.22½	16.22½	16.00	16.00
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	8.40	8.40	8.25	8.27½
July	8.50	8.52½	8.35	8.37½
Sept	8.60	8.60	8.47½	8.47½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	8.67½	8.75	8.52½	8.52½
July	8.72½	8.72½	8.55	8.55
Sept	8.72½	8.72½	8.62½	8.62½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, dull and easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 77@80; No. 3 spring wheat, 74 @80; No. 2 red, 84@85; No. 2 corn, 43 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 44 1-2; No. 2 oats, 30 3-4; No. 2 white, 32 1-8@32 1-2; No. 3 white, 30@31 1-2; No. 2 rye, 60; Mess pork, per bbl., 16.00@16.05; Lard, per 100 lbs., 8.22 1-2; Short ribs sides, (loose), 8.45@8.50; Short clear sides (boxed), 8.80@8.90; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.28.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, March 30.—Flour steady but quiet.

WHEAT—Spot irregular. No. 2 red, 85 5-8 elevator. Options 1-8 to 3-8c net higher. May 85 3-8; July, 83 7-8; September, 82 7-8.

CORN—Firm; No. 2, 54 12 elevator. Options 1-8c net higher; May closed 51; July, 51; September, 51 1-4; December, 50.

OATS—Firm; mixed, 36.

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LARD—Easy, western steamed, 8.55 to 8.60 nominal; refined easy continent, 8.85; compounr, 6 3-8 to 6 5-8.

PORK—Firm; mess, 17.00 to 17.50.

RICE—Steady; molasse firm.

COFFEE—Spot Rio quiet.

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SUGAR—Raw nominal, fair refining, 3, centrifugal 96 test, 3 15-32@3 1-2, molasses sugar, 2 3-4. Refined quiet.

BUTTER—Renovated 11 1-2@18 1-2.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm. Selected, 20@21; western firsts, 17; Southerns, 15 1-2 @17.

FREIGHTS—Steady, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Steady, unchanged.

CABBAGES—Firm, Florida per barrel-crate, 2.25@2.50.

POTATOES—Firm, Bermuda, new per barrel, 5.50@8.50; Florida new, 3.00@7.00; Maine and other eastern per bag, 2.50@2.65; State and western, 2.25@2.50; foreign, 2.25.

COTTON SEED OIL—Easier under renewed liquidation. Trade rather quiet. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 27 @27 1-2; prime summer yellow, 33 1-2 @34; prime white, 36@37; prime winter yellow, 36@37.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, March 30.—The dry goods market today was firm, showing a stiffening tendency on domestics. Some lines of cambrics and fine goods were marked up. Cotton yarns were firmer. In wash goods lines trade was active.

Fall River, March 30.—The total sales for the week in the printcloth market are estimated at from 125,000 to 150,000 pieces a little over half of the full production. Trading was confined almost wholly to wide odds. Careful selling by the manufacturers has resulted in a firmer tone than has been the case for a month past. There is no accummulation of goods in the store houses of the mills and most of them are booked up to the middle of next month. Twenty-eight inch 64 squares,3 3-4, 28inch 64x60, 3 5-8, 38 1-2 inch 64 squares 5 1-8, 39 inch 68x72,5 1-2.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., March 30, 1906

C. C. Railroad—103 barrels tar.

W. C. & A. Railroad—57 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 26 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine; 19 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—74 bales cotton; 22 barrels tar.

Str. Whitlock—5 casks spirits turpentine; 40 barrels rosin.

Str Tar Heel—38 barrels tar.

Str Johnson—1 cask spirits turpentine; 237 barrels rosin; 10 barrels tar.

Total—131 bales cotton; 13 casks spirits turpentine; 322 barrels rosin; 180 barrels tar.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, March 30.—Turpentine firm, 69 to 69 1-2; rosin firm, strained common to good 4.05.

Charleston, March 30.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

Savannah, March 30.—Turpentine firm, 66; sales, 180; receipts, 118; shipments, 322..

Rosin firm; sales, 700; receipts, 607; shipments, 369; stock, 30,860. Quote: A. B. C. D. B. F., G., 3.90; H., 4.20; I,, 4.35; K., 4.70; M., 5.25; N., 5.30; W. G., 5.45; W. W., 5.60.

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Bituminous Convention Yesterday Rejected Proposition to Arbitrate Wage Scale

SITUATION PARTLY RELIEVED

President Roosevelt Has Not Decided Whether To Intervene or Not—Anthracite Miners Will Go Out Monday Pending Conference.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Indianapolis, March 30.—Amelioration of the threatened strike of bituminous coal miners on April 1, was secured today by the United Mine Workers' of America who before adjourning without delay, authorized national and district officers to sign wage agreements with any coal operator who would agree to pay the scale of 1903 or its equivalent for a period of two years. This is an advance of 5.55 per cent. in wages in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and western Pennsylvania, and all other districts except the Southwest where an advance of three cents a ton is demanded.

As many operators have signified a willingness to pay the advance the number of miners that intend to strike on April 1 will probably be ultimately reduced by many thousands. It is probable that most soft coal miners will cease work on April 1, although the cessation of labor will be temporary in those districts where the increase in wages can be obtained.

The convention declined an offer made by the operators of Indiana, Illinois and Ohio to submit the wage differences to arbitration. Where a coal operator owns mines in different districts the scale must be signed for all the properties at the same time before any of his mines will be allowed to run.

The action of the convention probably will bring out of the mines of the country some 500,000 miners from the anthracite and the bituminous fields. These will remain on strike, it is said, until settlements have been signed by districts or with individual operators.

The only miners, it is said, that will go to work on Monday will be 25,000 in West Virginia, where a truce has been signed temporarily. The joint State conventions of the outlying districts which will be held next week were empowered under the action of the convention today to sign agreements with the operators of those States if they agree to pay the 1903 scale.

The men will return to work as soon as the scale is signed. If there is a disagreement in the State conventions any of the miners can sign the scale and resume work where individual operators pay the advanced scale. It is anticipated that the scale will be signed in a few days by employers of 75,000 miners. The Pittsburg Coal Company and F. L. Robbins, of western Pennsylvania, who also own mines in Ohio, Illinois and West Virginia, will, it is expected, sign at once, together with a number of independent operators. The miners expect to get the advance in all the Indiana mines south of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, in a number of central Indiana mines, in one-half of the Illinois mines and in a large percentage of the mines in Ohio. The duration of the strike in Michigan, Kentucky, Central Pennsylvania, Iowa and West Virginia cannot be determined until the State conventions meet next week.

President Mitchell said today he believed one-half of the tonnage of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and western Pennsylvania would sign soon.

The miners expect few operators in the Southwest to sign at once.

The National executive board will meet tomorrow to take up the details of managing the strike. It was empowered to decide as to what employes will be allowed to continue work at the mines to prevent the destruction of property during the suspension.

The convention cost the miners' organization $105,000 for expenses of delegates. There is in the National district and local treasuries of the miners, $2,500,000, of which $400,000 is in the National Treasury.

President Mitchell expects to leave Sunday for New York to meet in joint conference with the anthracite operators. National Secretary Wilson will leave at the same time to attend the Central Pennsylvania convention at Clearfield.

The vote on the resolution permitting the miners to sign was almost unanimous, although Vice President Lewis took a vigorous position against it.

Convention by a vote of 450 to 353 this afternoon referred the question of the expulsion of Patrick Dolan and Uriah Bellingham, of Pittsburg, to the district board of western Pennsylvania.

Anthracite Situation.

New York, March 30.—The anthracite mine operators decided today to meet the miners committee in this city at 10 A. M., on Tuesday as requested by John Mitchell, of the miners, for a further conference on the wage scale in the anthracite coal field.

The following messages passed today between President George F. Baer and chairman of the operators' committee, and President John Mitchell:

'Philadelphia, March 30, 1906.

"John Mitchell, Indianapolis, Ind:

"Although you order to quit work pending negotiations is most extraordinary, the delay in meeting having been yours and not ours, nevertheless we will meet your committee as requested.

(Signed) "GEORGE F. BAER."

This message was in reply to the following message which Mr. Baer received from President Mitchell earlier in the day:

"Indianapolis, March 30, 1906.

"George F. Baer,

"Philadelphia, Pa.

"If agreeable to you a meeting of the joint sub-commitee will be held in New York at 10 o'clock Tuesday April 3, for the purpose of further considering the wage scale in the anthracite field.

(Signed) "JOHN MITCHELL."

After receiving that message Mr. Baer inquired of Mr. Mitchell whether the miners would quit work on Monday and after he received word from Mr. Mitchell that it was true, agreed to meet the miners committee on Tuesday.

Roosevelt Non-Committal.

Washington, March 29.—President Roosevelt is non-committal as to what action, if any, he will take regarding the coal strike. It is known, however, that his replies to the telegram received from Indianapolis will be to the effect that he has the whole matter under consideration, and it may be some days yet before he decides what, if anything, can be done.

The cabinet had the coal situation under consideration to-day. The telegrams rfom Indianapolis, of John H. Winder and John Mitchell and Francis L. Robbins, were discussed. At the conclusion of the meeting the President made the announcement through Secretary Loeb, that there was nothing to say at this time. It was added that he had not yet replied to either of the telegrams.

President Roosevelt to-day authorizer the publication of two telegrams received by him last night. One came from John H. Winder, chairman of the Bitumenous Coal Operators' Association, at Indianapolis, transmitting the resolutions adopted by the coal operators at Indianapolis proposing that the President appoint a commission to investigate all matters which in the judgement of such commission had an important bearing on the scale of wages which should be paid all classes of labor in coal mines of the territory involved. The other telegram came from John W. Mitchell and Francis L. Robbins and takes issue with the statement made in the telegram signed by Mr. Winder. Their telegram follows;

"Indianapolis, Ind., March 29, 1906.

"Hon. Theodore Roosevelt:

"Responding to your suggestion, we have fulfilled our highest duties as citizens of our country by advocating a bituminous coal scale on a reasonable compromise. We understand that a telegram has been sen to you tonight purporting to speak for eighty per cent. of the bituminous tonnage. That telegram does not represent the real facts. At least, one-half of the total tonnage in western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois is produced by operators who are willing to pay pay the compromise scale.

"JOHN MITCHELL,
"FRANCIS L. ROBBINS."

It can be said at this time, that the President occupies the same position he has occupied for several weeks. He is anxious that a strike be averted and is ready to do all in his power to prevent a clash between the miners and operators, but it is known that he does not think the present moment opportune for government interference. What he may do in the near future is not disclosed—in fact, no decision regarding action by the President has been determined upon. The subject was discussed at the cabinet meeting.

It is evident that an optimistic view is held at the White House regarding the impending struggle. It is regarded as doubtful that a strike, declared at this time, will prove as serious as that of three years ago. It is pointed out that the operators themselves are divided on the question and that there are indications that the serious aspect of the situation may be averted without government intervention.

Up Go the Prices.

New York, March 30.—The Coal Merchants' Association, made up of 165 retail coal dealers in Manhattan, and The Bronx, to-night decided to increase the price of domestic sizes of anthracite coal fifty and seventy-five cents per ton. The price of nut or pea coal for family use was increased from $4.75 to $6 per ton. The prices for the anthracite steam sizes were advanced $1.15 a ton. Soft coal rates were raised from $4 to $5 per ton. These prices are effective to-morrow.

Reports from Boston say the price of coal there was raised from 50 to $1.75 a ton, according to sizes, to-day. At Newport freight charges from New York were increased 50 cents. Reports from points in New York State say that coal is being stored there.

Mrs. Roosevelt and party arrived in Fernandina on the train from Jacksonville yesterday afternoon, and were met at the station by nearly the entire town. The ladies of the Episcopal Guild sent Mrs. Roosevelt a magnificent tray of flowers. The party immediately went aboard the yatch Mayflower, which left the docks at 4 o'clock, prepartory for sailing, but did not go to sea, owing to high winds.

HABEAS CORPUS FOR G. W. PERKINS

Argument on Question of Larceny Involved in Making Campaign Contributions

NO PRECEDENT IN THE LAW

District Attorney Jerome Argued That Court Will Have to Make its Own Ruling—Charge Hinges on Felonious Intent.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, March 30.—Arguments on the habeas corpus proceedings in the case of George W. Perkins, former vice president of the New York Life Insurance Company, who is charged, in a warrant issued by Magistrate Moss, with the larceny of $48,702 beonging to the policy holders of the New York Life Insurance Company, which he advanced to Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the Republican National Committee, were made today before Justice Greenbaum in the State Supreme Court. Decision was reserved. Briefs will be filed Monday by contending counsel and then Justice Greenbaum will take the matter of the legality of Mr. Perkins' arrest under advisement. District Attorney Jerome arguing for the prosecution said:

"The question here is as the right of Mr. Perkins to pay the money of the policy-holders to a political organization for the purpose of influencing the results of certain political matters at the polls. Shall the officers of a corporation, or a single officer, say take the money of the policy-holders, and give it to a political party?" He said such an act is inherently wrong, contrary to public policy, to public morality and to common decency Half of the policy-holders may have been Democrats and to take their money to assist the Republican party certainly goes to the establishment of felonious intent," he said.

Judge Cohen said that President John A. McCall, of the New York Life Insurance Company, had at different itmes directed the payment of large sums of money for the relief of the Johnstown flood sufferers and in a yellow fever epidemic in New Orleans. He said that Mr. McCall believed sincerely that when he directed the payment of this money to Mr. Perkins he was acting for the best interests of the policy-holders and said that while, outside of his vested authority, perhaps it was not illegal; certainly not criminal.

It was then explained to the court that Mr. Perkins had advanced his personal funds to Mr. Bliss and had been repaid months afterward by the New York Life. Mr. Perkins, he said, believed he was doing the best thing for his company. Judge Cohen argued that none of the code definitions of larceny applied to Mr. Perkins' case.

Justice Greenbaum asked: "Do you mean to claim that a vice-president of a corporation cannot be said to be an officer having control of funds within the meaning of the statute, that the only officers so included are those who actually draw the checks?"

I think that is the meaning of the law," replied Judge Cohen.

"So narrow as that?" commented Justice Greenbaum.

Replying to an inquiry by Justice Greenbaum, Judge Cohen maintained that it would not be larceny under the code. Justice Greenbaum later said:

"A man's motive may be perfectly good, and yet he may be guilty of crime."

During Mr. Jerome's reply to the arguments for Mr. Perkins, Justice Greenbaum asked:

"Do you maintain that it is unlawful to contribute the funds of a company for such a purpose as is covered by this case?"

"The money of the policy-holders?—"Yes," replied the District Attorney.

"But do you say that of contributions from any sort of a company?"

"With any great corporation or trust company, I say it is immoral in the highest degree to divert its funds without the consent of every party in interest."

"Have you any authorities to submit?" asked Justice Greenbaum.

Mr. Jerome replied: "We have searched diligently, but this appears to be the first instance of such an issue having arisen. It would appear that your honor will have to pass upon the question as to whether there was a felonious intent without the assistance of such authorities."

FIGHTING GOVERNOR CHOSEN.

Arkansas Will Send Jeff Davis to The Senate.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Little Rock, Ark., March 30.—With practically complete returns from 62 out of 75 counties, Governor Jefferson Davis has a majority of 2.072 over Senator James H. Berry for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator. Senator Berry, at his home in Bentonville, again declined to-day to express an opinion as to the probable result, saying that he preferred to await further returns. In many of the counties the official count will be made to-morrow. Returns from the Fourth Congressional District indicate the nomination of W. B. Cravens, of Fort Smith, for representative in Congress to succeed John S. Little, nominated for Governor.

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT ON INDIANA RAILROAD

Coach Turned Over While Train Was Running Forty-Five Miles Hour—Twenty-Six People Injured.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

For Wayne, Ind., March 30.—Twenty-six persons were injured to-day at South Whitley, Ind., by the overturning of the smoking-car, a day coach and five sleeping cars of an eastbound train on the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, while running 45 miles an hour. The baggage car and the rear trucks of the dining car remaining on the track, the other cars rolling into a ditch. The injured include.

Unidentified woman, skull crushed, en route to Cleveland from Chicago, may die.

MISS MARTHA ZURN, of Sheboygan.

FRANK ZURN, of Sheboygan.

JOHN W. MEINHARDT, travelling salesman, Fort Wayne.

E. J. NUGENT, Chicago; ribs fractured.

D. N. WATKINS, Paoli, Kas., rib broken.

WILLIAM FISH, New York city.

CHARLES W. JACOBS, Fort Wayne.

It is thought the rails were spread by a defective truck of the smoking-car which was hurled 50 feet from the track into a ditch about half filled with water. The day coach following was turned crosswise of the track, and the heavy sleeping car crashed into its side wrecking it. Most of the injured were in the day coach and but few passengers in the sleeping cars were hurt.

Charles Jacobsen, who was in the day coach, says that many of the injured were hurt in a wild scramble for the door.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

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